



# MADANI NEWS

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Check out the highlights from our CSO partners for February – a public hearing on maternal child health in Pekalongan, a peer learning experience between CSOs from Makassar and Bogor, and a USAID high-level roundtable with local CSO representatives, among others. Enjoy!



## [USAID MADANI Public Hearing to Reduce Maternal and Infant Mortality Attended by National Ministry](#)

On 22 February 2023, USAID MADANI CSO partner Muslimat NU in the District of Pekalongan (Central Java) hosted a public hearing to provide citizens and government officials with a better understanding of maternal and child health. [Bahasa Indonesia](#)



## [USAID MADANI's Peer Learning Approach Builds Linkages Among Civil Society Organizations](#)

USAID MADANI promotes community diversity and tolerance, as well as works toward the sustainability of local solutions for religious tolerance in Bogor (West Java) and youth activism in Makassar (South Sulawesi). [Bahasa Indonesia](#)



## [USAID MADANI Hosts Roundtable Discussion on Diversity, Tolerance, and Social Inclusion](#)

Since the start of democratization twenty-five years ago, a variety of challenges persist in Indonesia, including a stagnating democracy, increased social exclusion, and uneven public service delivery. [Bahasa Indonesia](#)



## [East Java Provincial Government Acknowledges USAID MADANI's Contribution to Local Development](#)

On 16 February 2023, officials from the Provincial Government of East Java visited the District of Jember to observe the impact of the USAID MADANI initiative. [Bahasa Indonesia](#)



## [USAID MADANI Citizen Hearings Advance Maternal and Child Health Policies and Programs](#)

Citizen hearings are one way for civil society to effectively participate in strengthening government accountability and improving public services, as they produce important policy and program recommendations.

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